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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Thirty-second Saturday in 1937 (*7th August* 1937).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, 7th August 1937						Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1937					
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (−) of column 4 compared with column 5	
	1		2		3		4		5	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.
BANGALORE										
Bangalore (observatory)	0	92	0	64	21	23	13	99	7	24
Hoskote ...	0	10	0	68	14	54	11	73	2	81
Dodballapur ...	0	63	0	87	9	02	12	76	—3	74
Nelamangala ...	0	11	0	63	10	86	11	92	—1	06
Kankanhalli ...	0	00	0	65	22	30	12	80	9	50
Magadi ...	0	56	0	60	12	87	12	57	0	30
Channapatna ...	0	00	0	49	17	99	13	22	4	77
Anekal ...	0	00	0	69	20	71	14	13	6	58
Devanhalli ...	0	72	0	60	12	55	12	26	0	29
Closepet ...	0	10	0	56	19	34	13	38	5	96
District average ...	0	31	0	64	16	14	12	88	3	26
KOLAR										
Kolar ...	0	40	0	65	13	88	10	98	2	90
Bowringpet ...	0	00	0	50	17	37	10	98	6	39
Chintamani ...	0	12	0	71	14	32	11	05	3	27
Mulbagal ...	0	18	0	54	18	63	11	05	7	58
Sidlaghatta ...	0	66	0	65	15	70	11	80	3	90
Chikballapur ...	1	52	0	86	13	39	12	84	0	55
Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	55	10	74	10	15	0	59
Goribidnur ...	0	13	0	51	11	14	10	81	0	33
Malur ...	0	14	0	55	16	83	11	91	4	92
Srinivaspur ...	0	15	0	60	10	54	11	08	—0	54
Gudibanda ...	0	39	0	67	12	52	12	08	0	44
District average ...	0	34	0	60	14	10	11	34	2	76
TUMKUR										
Tumkur ...	0	88	0	78	12	61	12	94	—0	33
Madhugiri ...	0	47	0	52	13	75	10	75	3	00
Chiknayakanhalli ...	0	21	0	36	6	73	11	50	—4	77
Sira ...	0	10	0	34	7	94	11	27	—3	33
Gubbi ...	0	65	0	63	13	05	11	62	1	43
Tiptur ...	0	10	0	36	16	87	10	11	6	76
Pavagada ...	0	00	0	35	5	86	8	99	—3	13
Kunigal ...	0	32	0	57	14	79	11	23	3	56

	Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains		
	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	7		
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·00
Ragi	19·00	19·00	20·00
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	15·00
Kadale	9·00	9·00	10·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	6·00
Ragi	19·00	19·00	12·00
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	11·00
Kadale	9·00	9·00	7·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	10·00	5·00
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	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1937									
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE												Seers	Seers	Seers
Mysore (observatory)	0	22	0	50	19	45	13	96	5	49				
Chamarajnagar ...	0	00	0	29	11	81	11	49	0	32				
Seringapatam ...	0	00	0	33	10	30	11	81	—1	51				
Hunsur ...	0	28	0	56	15	05	16	26	—1	21				
Krishnarajnagar ...	0	10	0	35	14	77	12	18	2	59	Rice 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	7·50
Heggaddevankote ...	1	05	1	34	25	59	22	35	3	24	Ragi	18·00	18·00	14·00
Gundlupet ...	0	00	0	27	10	91	12	49	—1	58				
Nanjangud ...	0	32	0	51	16	61	14	21	2	40				
T.-Narsipur ...	0	25	0	33	11	71	12	09	—0	38	Kulthi	15·00	15·00	13·00
Malvalli ...	0	14	0	39	9	47	11	02	—1	55				
Mandya ...	0	00	0	27	8	75	10	88	—2	13	Kadale	...	...	...
Krishnarajpete ...	0	32	0	33	12	45	13	39	—0	94				
Nagamangala ...	0	00	0	20	8	94	10	18	—1	24				
Periyapatna ...	0	70	0	74	24	39	19	64	4	75				
Maddur ...	0	00	0	36	11	17	10	35	0	82				
French-Rocks ...	0	04	0	00	1	78	0	00	0	00				
District average ...	0	21	0	42	13	32	12	64	0	68				
HASSAN														
Hassan (observatory)	0	66	0	96	22	96	18	03	4	93				
Manjarabad (Sakleapur)	4	61	6	37	54	49	64	91	—10	42	Rice 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	7·25
Arkalgud ...	1	86	1	72	20	93	22	33	—1	40	Ragi	25·00	25·00	14·00
Belur ...	1	85	1	39	24	39	24	57	—0	18				
Channarayapatna ...	0	58	0	43	9	76	12	72	—2	96				
Arsikere ...	0	00	0	37	12	15	11	41	0	74	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	12·00
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	75	0	62	16	77	8	11	8	66				
Alur ...	1	52	1	60	28	02	26	53	1	49	Kadale	8·00	9·00	6·00
District average ...	1	48	1	68	23	68	23	57	0	11				
SHIMOGA														
Shimoga ...	1	54	1	32	17	51	19	78	—2	27				
Channagiri ...	1	72	1	17	11	59	14	73	—3	14				
Honnali ...	0	16	0	57	7	87	11	88	—4	01	Rice 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	6·98
Shikarpur ...	1	01	1	84	23	64	22	11	1	53	Ragi	25·00	25·00	16·69
Scrab ...	1	89	3	95	37	43	41	89	—4	46				
Sagar ...	3	27	5	67	53	27	54	99	—1	72				
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	9	99	7	11	95	44	78	41	17	03	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	9·69
Tirthahalli ...	8	21	9	58	85	56	88	00	—2	44				
Kumsi ...	1	82	2	10	25	11	26	34	—1	23				
District average ...	3	29	3	70	39	71	39	79	—0	08				
KADUR														
Chikmagalur ...	1	10	1	01	23	84	21	39	2	45				
Kadur ...	0	12	0	30	14	06	11	01	3	05	Rice 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·00
Tarikere ...	2	04	1	79	20	69	20	82	—0	13				
Koppa ...	11	68	9	40	92	59	82	49	10	10	Ragi ...	25·00	25·00	20·00
Mudgere ...	8	38	5	76	64	86	59	68	5	18				
Narasimharajpura ...	6	54	5	03	52	49	49	40	3	09	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	16·00
Sringeri ...	12	76	11	13	96	79	102	74	—5	95				
District average ...	6	09	4	92	52	18	49	65	2	53	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·00
CHITALDRUG														
Chitaldrug (observatory)	0	36	0	55	6	92	10	87	—3	95				
Challakere ...	0	12	0	17	3	34	7	04	—3	70	Rice 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	5·00
Hiriyur ...	0	10	0	19	5	57	9	13	—3	56				
Holalkere ...	0	88	0	62	10	23	11	06	—0	83	Ragi	24·00	25·00	12·00
Davangere ...	0	15	0	58	5	89	11	47	—5	58				
Molakalmuru ...	0	17	0	31	6	09	8	52	—2	43	Kulthi	16·00	17·00	9·00
Jagalur ...	0	51	0	45	6	71	9	78	—3	07				
Hosdurga ...	0	16	0	34	10	06	10	84	—0	78	Cholum	21·00	21·00	12·00
Harihar ...	0	00	0	57	6	44	9	79	—3	35				
											Kadale	9·00	9·00	5·00

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of harvests, serious damages done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season; tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock; failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in ploughing and sowing operations.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, sugarcane, til, groundnut and jawar are in goodi condition.

Crops Harvested.—Groundnut is being harvested in parts of Bangalore and Magap Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Ragi, avare, thogari are being sown in all the Taluks in the District.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.
Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in ploughing and sowing the dry lands.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, til, groundnut, sugarcane, haraka, sajje, jola and onions are reported to be in good condition.

It is also reported that paddy crop has been affected with "Benki Roga" in Oorgaum and other places in Bowringpet Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Ragi, groundnut, paddy, avare, thogari same and haraka.

Crops Harvested.—Vaishakhi paddy, giddaragi and groundnut in Sidlaghatta Taluk.

10. Generally good except for Plague at Vatrakunte Village, Bowringpet Taluk, Mulbagal Town, Basettihalli, Valasenahalli and Gowdanhalli and Kannappanhalli Villages in Sidlaghatta Taluk. Devisettihalli, Kuppahalli and Settigere Villages in Chikballapur Taluk and Srinivaspur Town. Rat falling is also reported in Jangamakote Village, Sidlaghatta Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been taken to check the spread of the disease.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for Black-quarter, disease in parts of Kyasamballi Hobli, Bowringpet Taluk and in some Villages of Pathapalya and Mittemari Hobli, Bagepalli Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
Rains are very necessary.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Ragi, paddy, avare, jola and thogari in almost all the Taluks, cotton in Pavagada Taluk and sugarcane in Kunigal Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, jola, thogari, in almost all the Taluks; Paddy, and sugarcane in Kunigal and Koratagere Taluks and in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy and sugarcane in Kunigal Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, black and green-gram in Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for the prevalence of Blackquarter in parts of Madhugiri, Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada Taluks and 'Chapperoga' in parts of Kasaba Hobli in Tumkur Taluk.

The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are stated to have been addressed in the matter of taking necessary action.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

Standing Crops.—Jola, ragi avare, thogari in Mysore, Krishnarajanagar, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, Nagamangala Taluks; ragi in Chamarajnagar Taluk, sugarcane in Seringapatam, Mandya, Krishnarajpet, French-Rocks and Maddur Taluks and Mulberry in T.-Narsipur and Maddur Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Rain is still needed in Malvalli Taluk.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Paddy in Seringapatam Taluk; horsegram and groundnut in Hunsur Taluk; groundnut in Gundlupet Taluk; bengalgram in Malvalli Taluk; ragi in parts of Mandya and Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Jola and ragi in Mysore Taluk; jola and til in Chamarajanagar, Malvalli Taluks; Mulberry and sugarcane in Maddur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Fodder and water are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Paddy, ragi, avare and togari are being sown in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

Ragi is being transplanted in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Ragi in Hassan, Belur, Hole-Narsipur and Alur Sub-Taluk; Paddy in the Manjarabad, Belur, Hole-Narsipur and Alur Sub-Taluk; avare in the Hassan and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; sugarcane in the Hole-Narsipur and Belur Taluks and cotton in the Belur Taluk; jola, avare and togari in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk is being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are favourable.

No signs of famine.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the taluks except in some parts of Arkalgud and Arsikere Taluks where it is reported that blackquarter and Rinderpest are respectively prevailing and that the concerned Veterinary Inspectors have been addressed in the matter. Action has also been taken to restrict the movements of cattle from and to the affected area.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations and seeds sown.*—Paddy in the taluk of Shimoga; ragi in Kumsi Sub-Taluk are being sown. Transplantation of paddy seedlings in the taluks of Sagar Nagar and Tirthahalli are being attended to.

State of Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in the taluks of Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi; paddy in Shimoga taluk; ragi and groundnut in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali; jola in Channagiri and Honnalli; cotton in Channagiri; and togari in Honnali are reported to be in good condition. The typing up of "Kottes" (ಕೊಟ್ಟೆ ಕಟ್ಟುವುದು) and the spraying of chemicals to areca nut crop is being done in the taluks of Sagar Nagar and Tirthahalli, to prevent "Koleroga". All the standing crops are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of Anthrox in Chigatur add Mudidoddinakoppa in Sorab Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to be taking necessary action in the matter. The prevalence of black-quarter in Ginivala and Hirale Villages of Sorab Taluk, is reported to have been brought under the control by inoculations administered to the cattle.

Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Preliminary operations are going on.

Crops Sown.—Transplantation of paddy is going on in Chikmagalur, Kadur, Tarikere, Koppa, Mudgere, Narasimharajpura, and Sringeri; Ragi, bengal gram and coriander in Kadur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, paddy and ragi in Chikmagalur, Kadur, Tarikere and Mudgere; til, and jola in Chikmaglur and Kadur; sugarcane, in Koppa, and Narasimharajpura; coriander in Chikmagalur; coriander and garlic in Kadur; areca in Mudgere, Sringeri and Narasimharajapura; coffee and cardamam in Mudgere.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

Food grains are available and the prices are steady.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district. Rinderpest is prevailing at Balinahalli, Anavanahalli, Singapura, Halasuru and Chakonahalli of Tarikere Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

Fodder and water are available for cattle throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing of jola, ragi, togari, avare, navane, sajje castor, greengram and groundnut are reported to be going on in all the taluks.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are in good condition. Groundnut in the Channel area of Hiriyur Taluk.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of black-quarter in Molakalmuru town and Bommagondankere of Molkalmuru Taluk.

Necessary remedial measures are reported to have been adopted by the Veterinary Inspector.

Water and fodder are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated, Bangalore, 10th August 1937.

M. N. ANANDALWAR,
Assistant Commissioner,
For *Revenue Commissioner,*
absent from the Station.